24. (New) A method for cleaning and disinfecting processing equipment according to claim 23 wherein the first pH is from about 7.0 to about 14.0 and the second pH is from about 1.0 to about 6.9.

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25. (New) A method for cleaning and disinfecting processing equipment according to claim 23 wherein the first pH is from about 1.0 to about 6.9 and the second pH is from about 7.0 to about 14.0.

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Support for claims 23-25 may be found, among other places, on page 8 of the specification as originally filed.

In the event the Examiner has any questions, he or she is kindly invited to contact the undersigned at his or her earliest convenience.

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